

# Linoleum and Congoleum

We now have a very complete line of Linoleums in the two-yard width. If you want a floor covering that is durable and easy to keep clean, come in and make your choice. The price is from 85c to \$3.00 a square yard.

Put a Congoleum Gold-Seal Rug into your dining room. The whole room will look brighter and more attractive with one of these Rugs. They are the ideal sanitary rug—easily kept clean.

Gold Seal Rugs are guaranteed by the manufacturers. We have the following sizes in stock:

6 ft. x 9 ft. 9 ft. x 12 ft.  
8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.

and smaller sizes.

## B. W. Hooker & Co.

UNDERTAKERS—BEST UP-TO-DATE MOTOR AMBULANCE SERVICE  
City rates same as home-driven ambulance; distance calls at reasonable terms.

## The Woman's Ready-to-Wear Shop

We Wish You a Prosperous  
New Year

So we offer you an unequalled opportunity. We have taken the following incomplete assortment of our stock and reduced them to these low prices.

Two Black Velvet Dresses, sizes 16 and 40, \$35.00 at..... \$25.00  
One Navy Velvet Dress, size 16, \$30.00, at..... 22.50  
One Brown Velvet Dress, size 16, \$35.00, at..... 25.00  
One Brown Velvet Dress, size 38, \$32.50, at..... 22.50

Children's Sweaters  
Marked to close out at once.  
6 Sweaters from 6 to 8 years, \$5.00, at..... \$3.00  
5 Sweaters from 10 to 12 years, \$7.50, at..... 5.00

Excellent range of colors.  
Just 5 Corsets left in size 18, \$1.50, at..... \$1.00  
See Sale Window, Keith Avenue Side

The Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

## Snow Goggles

Automobile riders and drivers in summer know the value of a pair of goggles to protect the eyes from flying dust or particles. In the winter, with the brilliant sun on glaring snow, goggles are important. They offset color-blindness, prevent astigmatism and generally benefit the eyes by toning the sight and taking away the forceful glare. Buy a pair of goggles. They are a good investment.

## Drown's Drug Store

48 North Main Street



Choice Rib Roasts, per lb. .... 30c to 40c  
Fancy Corned Beef, per lb. .... 18c to 25c  
Round Steak, per lb. .... 30c  
Boiling Pieces of Beef, per lb. .... 16c to 25c  
Pure Kettle-Rendered Lard, per lb. .... 30c  
Compound Lard, per lb. .... 28c  
Strictly Fresh Eggs, to-day only, dozen .... 85c  
Best Dairy Butter, per lb. .... 73c  
Best Creamery Butter, per lb. .... 75c

SPECIAL TO-DAY  
5 cakes of World Soap ..... 35c  
and one 7c pkg. World's Soap Powder free

The Smith & Cummings Co., Inc.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New Year booklets and postcards at Martin's Book Store.

Package sale at Russell's begins at 10 o'clock Friday—adv.

Arthur Spitzer, teacher of violin. Tel. 680 50 Wellington street, Barre.

The flower club will meet with Mrs. P. G. Howland Friday afternoon.

Dance in Clan Gordon hall New Year's eve. Admission, 75c, ladies free, adv.

"I Am Climbing Mountains" (Campbell and Burr), Columbia record at Russell's.

Mrs. E. M. Laws of Boston has returned after passing a week with her husband in this city.

The directors of the Barre Woman's club will meet in Aldrich hall Friday, Jan. 2, at 7:30 p. m.

John Seamon, a granite dealer of Nevada, Mo., is in town on a granite purchasing expedition.

New Year's dance Wednesday evening in Howland hall; dancing 8 to 1. Gilbertson's orchestra—adv.

John C. Booth of the Martinson Estate Granite Co. is spending a few days in New York City on business.

New Year's dance, Howland hall, on Thursday evening, Jan. 1; dancing 8 to 1; Gilbertson's orchestra—adv.

Trucking Done—Anyone wanting light or heavy trucking done, call the Granite City Bottling Works—adv.

District Deputy M. J. Corlies goes to Waterbury Saturday evening, Jan. 2, to install the officers of Dillingham grange.

When in town call at the Cafe Shepard, Keith avenue. First class dinners 50c. Under management of Mrs. F. H. Hopkins.

William Milne of the William Milne Granite Co. is taking an extended tour through the middle west in the interest of the Milne firm.

Louis Monti of Worcester, Mass., is stopping with his sister, Mrs. Giffetti of 400 North Main street, until the latter part of the week.

Worthy State Overseer George Flint will install the officers of Mirror Lake grange of Berlin for the ensuing year Friday evening, Jan. 2.

Anyone desiring the services of the district nurse, Mary E. McCarthy, should call 640-J, her home number, or 298-M, the office of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company—adv.

W. V. Sehermerhorn of Omaha, Neb., a western agent of the Carswell-Western company and the E. A. Bugbee company granite firms of this city, is expected here within the next few days.

The nominating committee of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church will meet at the church this evening at 7:30. Please be on time.

A rumor, originating from unknown sources, credits various large manufacturing and quarry firms with considering a duplication of the Barclay brothers' plan of issuing insurance policies to employees.

Instead of meeting the Northfield post of the American legion on the basketball court at the Spaulding gymnasium Thursday evening, as stated on yesterday's paper, the Barre post will meet the Spaulding team.

Wanted—Ladies, gentlemen, misses and girls in the market for winter coats, to see our lines. We can't sell for \$25 what has been for \$50, but can give as good values, cash or approved credit, as can be obtained north of New York City. Large assortment. Saddle, 10 Keith avenue.

Call at the Hopkins stable when in town. Hitches, 20c, feed 40c. Best of care. Good clean waiting room for ladies. As we want calls to break, the Gleason method. Warranted safe for lady to drive or no pay. Will break them at home or at my stable. E. H. Hopkins, rear postoffice, Prospect street.

The annual meeting of the Baptist church will be held in the church auditorium to-morrow, beginning at 2:30 p. m. the business session to be held in the afternoon, with supper served to all members of the church and congregation at 5:30, followed by the roll call. All connected with the church are urged to be present.

E. D. Palmer, a former superintendent of the Mount, Vt., and Vermont quarries but now a partner of the Oglesby Granite Co. of Oglesby, Ga., has returned home after a two weeks vacation with acquaintances in Barre, Graniteville and Montpelier. During the war period and the service of Capt. R. V. Palmer, he was superintendent at the "Rock of Ages" quarries. Walter Paine, a master mechanic well known to quarrymen of this district since he, too, was formerly employed by this firm, was Mr. Palmer's companion on both journeys.

Notice.  
The members of the First Universalist society of Barre, Vt., are hereby notified and warned to meet in the vestry of their church in the city of Barre, Vt., on Thursday evening, Jan. 1, 1920, at 7 o'clock, then and there to act upon the following business:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To listen to the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and to act thereon.

3. To elect a clerk for the ensuing year.

4. To hear the reports of all officers and act thereon.

5. To elect officers for the ensuing year.

6. To transact any other business which may properly come before said meeting.

7. Adjournment.  
M. W. Cole, Parish Clerk.  
City of Barre, Dec. 20, 1919.

All citizens men and women please leave their due cards at City Hall, on or before Jan. 3 for semi-annual audit. Per auditor.

Special communication of Granite Lodge, No. 35, F. & A. M., Wednesday, Dec. 31, at 7 p. m. Work, E. A. degree. Per order W. M.

Regular meeting of Degree of Pochontas Friday evening, Jan. 2, at 7 o'clock. Adoption.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY  
FOUND—Fox bound Dec. 26; owner can have same by proving property and paying his charges: E. G. Somerville, Watfield, Vt. 24415

WANTED—Position by experienced man to look after compressor and fire boiler; address "Engineer," Times office. 24416

FOR SALE—Pair of gray horses, age 3 and 6; weight better than 2,000 lbs.; to be sold because of owner's poor health; inquiry of Walter Smith, R. D. 4, Barre, tel. 427-M. 24418

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Package sale at Russell's begins at 10 o'clock Friday—adv.

Victor records for January are now on sale at Bailey's Music Rooms.

Chicken-pie dinner New Year's day, 60c per plate at Cafe Shepard—adv.

First leap year dance, Howland hall, Friday, Jan. 2; Carroll's orchestra—adv.

Merlin Lawson of Cabot had his tonsils removed at the Barre City hospital this morning.

Mrs. Clayton Robbins of Orange was brought to the City hospital to-day for an operation.

Oren King of Waterbury has been spending the holidays with Homer King of South Barre.

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James Daniels of North Main street underwent a minor operation at the City hospital this morning.

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Largest line of new and second-hand ranges and heaters in Barre at lowest prices. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

Sugar, of which there was no supply in Barre the first of the week, is in the market again, but at a price of 18 cents a pound.

Mrs. Daniel Ryan of Graniteville was brought to the City hospital yesterday afternoon for an operation for strabismus.

New Year's day being a holiday, the barbers of this city have agreed to keep their shops open until 9 o'clock, since they will not work at all to-morrow.

Richard Attridge, formerly of Barre but now employed as a letter cutter in Buffalo, N. Y., is here to remain until after New Year's day with Barre acquaintances.

All stores, members of the Barre Retail Merchants' association, Inc., will remain open on Wednesday evening until 9 o'clock, and will be closed all day Thursday, New Year's day.

Sabato, 3 gennaio alle ore 3 p. m. avrà luogo l'assemblea annuale degli azionisti del Social club No. 2, Social block, 46 Granite street. Ne prendano nota gli interessati. Il segretario, Angelo P. Ambrosini.

Probably the most artistic calendars ever distributed by the various granite manufacturers of Barre have been issued during the past few weeks.

The expense for these has been so great that a careful distribution was made by many, that each might be placed in a much frequented office or store.

The greatest musical event of the season, Tufts college Glee and Banjo clubs at Goddard seminary, Monday evening, Jan. 3. There are no better college clubs in the country. A string quartet and reader appear with them. The concert will begin at 8:30. Their own orchestra will furnish music for dancing after the concert. Tickets on sale at Barre Drug company for 50c; all seats reserved—adv.

Friends of Joseph Fraser will regret to learn that the injury received by his right eye just before quitting time Dec. 18 is causing the removal of the eye at the Royal Victoria hospital, Montreal, where he went soon after the accident occurred. It was at first thought that the sight of the eye would return and for a while Mr. Fraser was able to see across the room but infection may have set in during the operation. Mr. Fraser was holding the bullet and a piece of flying steel penetrated the eyeball, lodging in the tissue immediately behind.

A recent inquiry at various grocery stores of Barre and Montpelier revealed the fact that the supply of hops had been exhausted. This is attributed to the vast amount of home-brewing being carried on in Barre, Montpelier and surrounding towns. Recipes that had almost gone into oblivion are being daily rediscovered and their usefulness is fast entirely. Connections that range from fruit cordial to apple sap and principal contents of our local distilleries, though until the hop supply began to run low fermenting barrels of beer could be found in more than one home or farmhouse.

Magdelaine Brail, the celebrated young French pianist, will appear in a joint recital with Marian Keeler, the youngest coloratura soprano prima donna here, at the public Montpelier city hall New Year's night. It is hoped there will be a representative audience of Barre and Montpelier people to hear these extraordinary young artists, who will present a program of surprising interest. Brail has played to large audiences in Boston and New York and has evoked the most tremendous enthusiasm. Arrangements for a special trolley to Barre after the concert have been made to accommodate the Barre patrons—adv.

Chief of Police Andrew Mitchell, whom the city councilmen authorized to designate the various streets for sliding purposes, has selected the following: Long street, Warren street to Plain street, Beckley street to Main street, Elmwood avenue to Pleasant street, Park street to Academy street, East street to Eastern avenue, Hill street extension to Charles, Batchelder street to City Hall street, Granite street from Prospect to Foster. It is probable that a few others may be named later. Anyone caught sliding on streets not mentioned in this list will be subject to prosecution. In other words, there is to be absolutely no sliding on other streets.

When the Buick runabout car owned and driven by George Brown of the Barre Savings Bank & Trust Co. struck the two-seated surrey of John Papin last evening, Ervin St. John, the driver, was precipitated into the road, together with the two heavy seats of the sleigh. The accident happened as the sleigh was driving down the driveway to the street, while Brown was on the right side of the road going north on Main street. The car struck the surrey mid-body, hurling St. John with the two seats to the electric car track, one seat landing on each side of him. Meanwhile, Jennie, the veteran equine of the Papin stable lost her composure and made two or three frisky bounds, then halted abruptly on the other side of the road to view the situation. Aside from the jolt which St. John received on landing on the snow-packed car track and the demoralization of the surrey, no serious damage was effected. The car's bumper was distorted slightly by the compact that dislocated the surrey's body and seats and split some of the under parts.

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Rockland Reading Framingham Leominster Hyde Park Wakefield

Good Goods

## The Adams Company

Good Service

### FIRST ANNIVERSARY SALE CLOSING JANUARY 5

Some remarkable values still left, which will give an opportunity to make good savings, with the market conditions such as they are to-day. It will pay you to come in and see these money-saving propositions.

## COATS

ONE SPECIAL LOT, 12 COATS (ONLY) Coats that have sold for \$35.00 to \$60.00, to close, at \$29.50

### Heavy Coats

Heavy Wool Velours, Kerseys, Silver-tones.  
Reg. Price. Anniversary Price.  
\$16.50 Coats ..... \$12.98  
\$19.50 Coats ..... \$14.98  
\$25.00 Coats ..... \$19.50  
\$35.00 Coats ..... \$27.50  
\$42.50 Coats ..... \$31.50  
\$45.00 Coats ..... \$32.50  
\$55.00 Coats ..... \$37.50  
\$59.00 Coats ..... \$42.50  
\$69.00 Coats ..... \$45.00  
\$75.00 Coats ..... \$50.00

### 25 PER CENT

reduction on all Children's Coats, in sizes 2 to 14

### Knit Underwear

LADIES' FLEECE UNION SUITS, good weight, high neck, long sleeves, round neck, elbow sleeves.

Reg. Price. Anniversary Price.  
Sizes 36-38 ..... \$1.25  
\$2.00 ..... \$1.25  
Sizes 40, 42, 44 ..... \$1.50  
\$2.25 ..... \$1.50  
Ladies' Light-Weight Union Suits, an odd lot, broken sizes. 79c  
\$1.25 ..... 79c  
Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleece Union Suits, sizes 36-38 ..... \$1.69  
\$2.25 ..... \$1.69  
Sizes 40-42-44 ..... \$1.98  
\$2.50 ..... \$1.98  
Ladies' Medium-Weight Union Suits ..... \$1.75  
\$2.00-2.25 ..... \$1.75  
Boys' Jaeger Fleece Drawers ..... 39c  
50c-55c ..... 39c

We shall put AN EXTRA SPECIAL DISCOUNT on some different lines of merchandise each morning during this Anniversary Sale. Watch our south window for this announcement each day. Many items not mentioned above will be put on our counters at reduced prices. No Sale Goods on Memo.

188 N. Main St.

## The Daylight Store

Barre, Vermont

Gardner

Clinton

Woburn

Plymouth

Keene, N. H.

Barre, Vt.

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Another of the series of dances given under the auspices of the Italian Gaiety club was held in the Clan Gordon hall last evening.

Misses Evelyn and Kathryn Bruya of Maple Grove street left yesterday for Middlebury, where they will spend the week-end with relatives.

George Ford, editor of the Granite, Marble & Bronze magazine, and his followers, who have been stopping at Hotel Barre for a few days, returned yesterday to their home in Boston.

The annual meeting of Vincitella club will be held in the club rooms Wednesday evening, Dec. 31, at 8 o'clock. A buffet luncheon will follow. It is hoped that a large number of members will attend.

As usual, the Barre Savings Bank & Trust company is putting out some very useful and attractive calendars, the title of the painting represented thereon for 1920 being "First in Peace."

It shows George Washington, just landed from a large beside the wharf in New York, having come to take office as the first president of the newly organized government of the United States. Noted men of the time are pictured, and the original painting is by E. Percy Moran, a specialist in colonial subjects, who has studied art both in this country and abroad and has won prizes for his work.

"Stopping at the Central House." That will be the exclamation nowadays from those who make the well-known hostelry on Pearl street their headquarters. Landlord A. A. Boyce makes the announcement to-day that from now on the Buzzell hotel will be called the Central house, thus depriving some of the one-night-stand fumblers of an opportunity of abusing the Buzzell.

Not purchasing the property from the Buzzell estate last August, Mr. Boyce had a general housecleaning and renovating, and to-day the lodging-house will rank with many another in Vermont as a comfortable place to put up at. Twelve rooms which heretofore had not been in use have been furnished, and there are now over 100 rooms refurnished and in excellent condition. Besides taking care of a large number of permanent roomers, the Central house enjoys a good transient business and, according to the proprietor, there is scarcely a week goes by that a number are not turned down for lack of accommodations. A large new sign is being hung on the building to-day. William Baker is employed as clerk, while Mr. Boyce acts as general supervisor and is on the alert to improve the service for his patrons. Mr. Baker is well known as a hotel man, and a share of the prosperity of the house is due to the popularity and efficiency of the clerk who was in the employment of the former owners of the Buzzell.

Palace theatre to-morrow, special feature, Mildred Harris in "The Doctor and the Woman," also one comedy. Two shows, matinee 3, and evening at 7:30. Admission, 11c and 13c—adv.

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These bills were also paid: Street payroll, \$203.17; engineering payroll, \$44.73; water payroll, \$1,324.84; fire payroll, \$108.75; police payroll, \$127.31.

1919 street sprinkling, \$176.84; street superintendent's orders, \$15; street department for trucking services, \$193.25; Mrs. Grace Morgan, \$20.30; C. A. Lundgren, \$10.25 (labor on cow testing); C. L. Booth, \$20; Miss Gridley, \$26.

Livestock permits were granted as follows: Gus Chatot, 2 cows, 2 pigs, Colby street; George Henry, 1 pig, 14 Clark street; John Hussy, cow and pig, 110 River street; H. W. Downing, cow, 30 Summer street; Fred Perrin, pig, Onward street; C. A. LaClair, cow, Circle street; Mrs. Andrew Blinn, 2 cows, 2 pigs, Currier street; Rudolfo Buzzi, 2 cows, 565 North Main street; M. W. Mattson, 1 cow, 214 Elm street; Thomas Carroll, 2 pigs, 330 North Main street; C. G. Perrin, pigs Onward street; Carl A. Steele, 2 pigs, 121 Brooklyn street.

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### WILLIAMSTOWN

"Should the United States ratify the peace treaty?" This subject is one that affects us all, farmers, business men or housewives. Rev. Charles Walsh, recently of Washington, D. C., will repeat by request next Sunday night, at the Congregational church, his sermon on that subject. All come and fill the church. It is a remarkable sermon.

Tidings are received of the burial last Sunday in the family lot at Berlin Corner of the body of Miss N. Josephine Covell, who spent a part of last summer in town as the guest of Mrs. Belle H. Covell. Miss Covell left town about the first of last September, going to Washington, D. C., where she was with Mrs. Arthur Covell, now employed in the war risk department of that city. Miss Covell's death is ascribed to an attack of acute indigestion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Marshall Jackson and two daughters, Lora and Katherine, were in town last week as the guests of W. H. Lougee.

Miss Anna Winchester, who is at work in Brookfield, was at home with her parents over Sunday.

Amos S. Brockett and family, who have been staying on south hill and the vicinity for some months past, have gone to Grafton, N. H.

### GRANITEVILLE

The annual masquerade will be held in gymnasium New Year's eve. A prize will be given for the best ladies' and gents' costume—adv.

Members of Maple Leaf lodge, M. W. of A., please take notice, that all members whose dues are not paid by Saturday, Jan. 3, will be suspended. Per order Nelson Craig, clerk, and Fred Pirie, banker.

A misunderstanding seems to have arisen in regard to the leap year dance advertised for Jan. 13. The dance is to be conducted as usual, so, young men about town, get busy and secure your partners, for there will not be any extra ladies.

A son, weighing 9½ pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dalgleish Monday, Dec. 29.

Granite theatre to-morrow, special feature, Mildred Harris in "The Doctor and the Woman." Two shows, matinee 2:15, evening, 6:30. Admission, 11c and 13c—adv.

## New Year's Values

For the first three days of this week, note these Cash and Carry values. This is a special drive before we inventory Jan. 1. We want to make the year's business as large as possible, and you want to make your dollars go as far as possible.